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1. U.S. Patent No. 4,415,520 issued November 15, 1983 to WIGGINS, et al.;
2. U.S. Patent No. 5,799,495 A issued September 1, 1998 to GAST, Jr., et al.;
3. U.S. Patent No. 5,457,963 A issued October 17, 1995 to CAHILL-O'BRIEN, et al.;
4. PCT International Application Publication No. WO 1997/15436 A1 published May 1, 1997 (**Exhibit 1**);
5. European Patent Publication No. 0016614 B1 published June 1, 1983; (**Exhibit 2**);
6. PCT International Application Publication No. WO 2002/38467 A1 published May 16, 2002 (**Exhibit 3**);
7. PCT International Application Publication No. WO 1996/18306 A2 published June 20, 1996 (**Exhibit 4**); and
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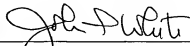
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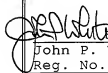
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